

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

RICARDO MARTINEZ,  
Plaintiff,

v.

C. PFEIFFER, et al.,  
Defendants.

Case No. 20-CV-04729 EJD (PR)

**ORDER OF TRANSFER**

Plaintiff, a state prisoner, filed a pro se civil rights complaint against prison officials at Kern Valley State Prison, ("KVSP"), where he is currently incarcerated. Dkt. No. 1. Because defendants reside in and the acts complained of occurred in Kern County, which lies within the venue of the Eastern District of California, see 28 U.S.C. § 84(b), venue properly lies in that district and not in this one. See 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b). Accordingly, this case is TRANSFERRED to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California. See 28 U.S.C. § 1406(a).

The Clerk shall terminate all pending motions and transfer the entire file to the Eastern District of California.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

**Dated:** 7/23/2020



EDWARD J. DAVILA  
United States District Judge